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Election/Restrictions

1. Newly submitted claims 29-57 are directed to an invention that is independent or distinct from the invention originally claimed for the following reasons:

They are related as subcombinations disclosed as usable together in a single combination. The subcombinations are distinct from each other if they are shown to be separately usable. In the instant case, the new claims describe a method of authorizing an object embedded on a computer system for execution that does NOT follow the process of intrusion detection based on recently installed objects as put forth in the originally examined claims, and the intrusion detection process do NOT describe a method of authorizing an object embedded on a computer system for execution

- 2. Since applicant has received an action on the merits for the originally presented invention, this invention has been constructively elected by original presentation for prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, claims 29-57 are withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected invention. See 37 CFR 1.142(b) and MPEP § 821.03.
- 3. The amendment filed on 06 December 2004 canceling all claims drawn to the elected invention and presenting only claims drawn to a non-elected invention is non-responsive (MPEP § 821.03). The remaining claims are not readable on the elected invention because of the reasons set forth above
- 4. Since the above-mentioned amendment appears to be a bona fide attempt to reply, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this notice within which to supply the omission or correction in

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order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD UNDER 37 CFR

1.136(a) ARE AVAILABLE.

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the

examiner should be directed to Christian La Forgia whose telephone number is (571) 272-3792.

The examiner can normally be reached on Monday thru Thursday 7-5.

6. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's

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